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In re Application of:

HIROSHI SATOMI, et al.

Application No.: 09/547,284

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For: INFORMATION PROVIDING
METHOD, INFORMATION
PROVIDING SYSTEM,
TERMINAL APPARATUS,
AND STORAGE MEDIUM
STORING INFORMATION
PROVIDING PROGRAM

) Examiner: Ella Colbert

) Group Art Unit: 3694

) October 23, 2006 (Monday)

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

Applicants' undersigned representative wishes to thank the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the telephonic interview conducted on September 12, 2006. The undersigned also confirms receipt of the Examiner's Interview Summary (Form PTOL-413) forwarded with the communication dated September 22, 2006.

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During the interview, the Examiner tentatively agreed that the claim amendments in the July 14, 2006 Amendment And Request For Interview would overcome the § 112 first and second paragraph rejections of the March 14, 2006 Office Action. In this regard, the Office Action dated October 6, 2006 indicates that the foregoing § 112 first and second paragraph rejections have been withdrawn.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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